

PATENT
Attorney Docket No. F-5495 DIV (9360-0172.01)

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re Application of:)
Tom Westberg et al.)
Serial No.: 10/828,359)
Filed: April 20, 2004)
Group Art No.: 3761)
Examiner: Philip R. Wiest)
For: FLUID PRESSURE ACTUATED BLOOD)
PUMPING SYSTEMS AND METHODS)
WITH CONTINUOUS INFLOW AND)
PULSATILE OUTFLOW CONDITIONS)

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF AUGUST 18, 2008

Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action of August 18, 2008. It is respectfully requested that this amendment be entered and that the application be reconsidered and allowed.

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